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HAER No. CA-235

X-15 Engine Test Complex  
Edwards Air Force Base  
Rogers Dry Lake, East of Runway  
between North Base and South Base  
Boron Vicinity  
Kern County  
California

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Note: Photographs CA-235-1 through CA-235-5 are 8" x 10" enlargements from 4" x 5" negatives. These views are photocopies of recent resin coated prints made from prints held at the Main Base History Office, Edwards Air Force Base, California. Photographers unknown. Dates and file no's. unknown except where indicated.

- CA-235-1 "X-15 RUN UP AREA 230." A somewhat blurred, very low altitude low oblique view to the northwest. This view predates construction of observation bunkers. Photo no. "14,696 58 A-AFFTC 17 NOV 58."
- CA-235-2 X-15 RUN UP AREA (Jan 59). A sharp, higher altitude low oblique aerial view to the north, showing runway, at far left; X-15 Engine Test Complex in the center. This view predates construction of observation bunkers.
- CA-235-3 SOUTH TEST STAND WITH X-15 IN PLACE. A color photograph taken from a lift boom or from atop a truck, looking northwest to NASA hangars in the far distance. Also shows the shop building at left, and two observation bunkers with hatches open; one at right (Bldg. 1933) and the other in front of Liquid Oxygen tank truck at left (Bldg. 1934).
- CA-235-4 "X-15 TYPICAL MISSION." A photo of a map graphic showing a flight path from Wendover to Edwards, with an inset graphic showing the landing pattern turns.
- CA-235-5 PILOTS KNIGHT, RUSHWORTH, ENGLE, THOMPSON, DANA, AND MCKAY STANDING AT THE NOSE OF X-15 NO. 66671.